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Banking And Finance

The following notes from the Monthly Commercial letter published by the Canadian Bank of Commerce will be of interest to most readers.

Interest payments on mortgages and other forms of trustee investment in western Canada during 1921 were not met as well or as promptly as in 1920.

Normally, at the close of a year the interest overdue on western mortgages averages one per cent of the principal, but last year it was one and a quarter per cent. There is also a larger percentage of interest overdue on municipal, school and rural telephone debentures, caused by the difficulty of collecting taxes.

This difficulty is mainly the result of the fall in the price of agricultural products,, although in some cases it is in part due to the increased outlays on schools and municipal undertakings.

The net debt of the Dominion as at December 31st last, was \$2,366,861,000, as compared with \$2,308,218,000 a year ago. Temporary loans increased during 1921 from 195,839,000 to \$150,534,000. For the nine months ending December last, the revenue of the Dominion amounted to \$294,270,639, as compared with \$344,354,675 for the same period in 1920. The decline is partly due to a falling off of \$57,000,000 in receipts from customs and of \$9,000,000 in the business profits tax. The receipts from the income tax, however increased \$53,000,000, a result due partly to the steadily improving machinery for its collection and partly to the payment within a single year of the taxes on incomes for the years 1919 and 1920. It is noteworthy that the burden of taxation is rapidly creating a volume of public opinion in all public expenditures.

Deposits by the public in Canada at the close of December last were \$27,000,000 lower than at the end of the previous month. Government and foreign deposits were also lower by \$22,000,000 and by \$15,000,000 respectively. Current loans in Canada contracted by \$52,000,000 to \$1,255,000,000 and call and short loans by \$15,000,000 while currene loans abroad remained stationary. The general contraction shown in the December statement is seasonal in character, except as to call loans, which a year ago showed only a nominal change.

Business Failures in Canada

The extra ordinary fall, during 1921, in the prices of the chief natural resources of Canada, and the interruption to the marketing of a considerable portion of them, caused by the emergency tarriff legislation in the United States, are responsible in some measure for the number of failures in that year, which was greater than in any previous year except 1914 and 1915. The total amount of liabilities was the highest on record, but some allowance must be made for higher values. At the beginning of the recession in prices they had not only a large stock of goods on hand, but also had great difficulty in cutting down their operating expenses. Traders, however, were able to protect themselves by refusing to buy, and by gradually liquidating stocks on hand at prices which enabled them, as a rule, to meet their liabilities.

When clam shells were legal tender, folks had to dig for money

Chauvin Agricultural Director's Meeting

The directors of the Chauvin Agricultural Society met, Saturday March 4th in A. E. Keith's office. President N. Strachan in the chair.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed on motion of E. A. Pitman and Mrs Armour.

The matter of appointing a director in the place of Mrs C. Miller (resigned) was left over until some future meeting.

Mr Semple gave a very interesting report from the fairs convention. (We hope to publish fuller notes of this report in later issues—Editor).

The president reported that he had visited the council meeting at Ribstone, Bebruary 20th and had been promised a grant of \$75 for the year 1921, and that the matter of a future grant had been taken up at the annual meeting.

Moved J. Semple, Mrs Armour, that a vote of thanks be sent to the municipal council for their grant of \$75. Cd.

Moved Foreman. Pitman that the following resolution be inscribed in the minute book. "That the Chauvin Agricultural Society appreciate the interest and support of the ratepayers of Ribstone Municipality, as shown by the resolutions passed at the annual meeting held at Ribstone on February 20th." Carried

The prize list committee reported that they had received several suggestions as to how the prize list might be improved, and that they invited the opinion of the meeting on several points. After much discussion it was decided to eliminate class seven, and change the weight of horses in class eight to 1200 to 1500 lbs., and that they have a class for heavy draft horses over 1500 lbs. That class 12 be eliminated. That in class 11, 14-2 be inserted instead of 15 hands. In sheaf grain, the sheaf in future should be 4 inches in diameter at the band.

Secretary read correspondence from Mr Love, M.L.A., Hon. G. Hoadley, and Mr Craig. re Demonstration train, to the effect that it would be impossible to send a train be impossible to send a train down this line this season but they had hopes for the future..

The following resolution was passed by the society. "That the society go on record in favor of the wage schedule for farm help as laid down by Saskatchewan, namely \$25 pr month be paid for spring work up to August 1st, and after that date \$45 per month be paid for the balance of the season.

The following directors were present:— J. Semple; Geo. Leggett; N. Strachan; Lt-Col W. Rodden; Mrs Armour; E. A. Pitman; A. E. Keith H. Young; Jeff Swan; J. Craddock; H. Foreman

New Settlers Arrive

Mr. Otto Milbrand, and Mr. Gustav Stempel have arrived from Nebraska and are locating in this district. Mr. Milbrand has brought 2 tractors and a car of effects and farm equipment. Mrs. Milbrand and family will follow later with possibly another car of effects.

Mr. Sempe has also a tractor and farm outfit.

Better weak beer than an empty cask

The Funeral Of Mr Chester Bull

The funeral of Mr Chester Bull was conducted from the home of Mr and Mrs J. C. Reinhart, Thursday, 3rd March, there being a big attendance both at the home and the church services. A short service was held in the home by Rev. E. H. Maddock, of Edgerton, after which a procession of considerable length was formed, and wended their way to the Westminster Church, Chauvin, where the public service was held. Rev. Maddock took as his text the words "So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom" and delivered a powerful address which impressed his hearers with high ideals as to the true measure and the true aim of life.

Interment was made in the Chauvin cemetery. This being the second interment within the week.

The deceased was in the prime of life. He was born at Stathclair, in Manitoba, 34 years ago. He took up his homestead in this district in 1907. He railroaded for ten years. He is survived by a widow and daughter, Ethel, aged seven years.

Deep sympathy is felt by all the many friends and neighbours for the bereaved widow and child in their hours of sorrow.

Some Surprize

Mr S. R. Davis, the manager of the Chauvin U. G. G. elevator, had the surprize of his life last Tuesday morning. He was engaged in his office when he heard a loud noise and the building was violently moved over some four inches. We may state that he is not thoroughly experienced in the earthquake business, and his first thoughts were that the building was going over entirely. Before he had reached this decision all was quiet and still again.

On getting out of the building he found that a freight car leaving the narrow path had wandered astray and collided violently with the corner of his building.

19th ALBERTA DRAGOONS "C" SQUADRON

DETACHMENT DAILY ORDERS

March 1st. 1922

Parades: Kit Inspection: In preparation for a thorough Kit Inspection, date of which will be posted later.

All Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men are requested to turn in to the QMS Stores immediately all clothing, arms and equipment. It is recommended that each article turned in be tagged with the name and number of the owner. This will facilitate re-issue, and will enable those keeping kit in good condition to reap the benefit of the care expended upon same.

Duties—Machine Gunners: This Detachment now possesses two Lewis Guns; and all having had previous experience with this arm of the Service are requested to hand in their names to the Orderly Room Sergeant. Machine Gun Sections will be organized at an early date.

H. STRACHAN Major, V.C.

Airlie Delegate On U. F. A. Convention

Having been asked by a number of the members of the Airlie Local to publish my concluding remarks of my report on the 14th annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta held at Calgary, June 17th to 20th.

In the first place I must say that I am proud to belong to such an organization as the U.F.A., with its 38,000 members, largely composed of honest deep-thinking men, and this can especially be said of our officers and members of parliament that have been elected, believing them to be very capable men of meeting all opposition face to face in working out the problems that are of such vital importance and interest to the rural population of the province.

And I want to say further as a director of the Airlie local, that I feel a keener sense of duty to the local and organization than I have ever taken before, and I assure you that it will be my earnest endeavour at all times to work more faithfully for the local in holding it up and securing, if possible, a larger membership.

One other thing I would like to touch on briefly, that is, after talking with a number of delegates at the convention I was told by some that their locals were slowly declining owing largely to the fact that a great many members were coming to the locals to thrash out matters of a personal nature that existed in their respective districts, thus membership was dropping off, and it was hard to secure new members, and in a general summing up, the local was slowly decaying.

Now I think we are very fortunate in our local in that respect, but I would like, if you please, to sound a note of warning that we do not allow at any time personal matters of any nature to mar the progress of our local, and to stand loyal to our organization, at all times.

St Patrick's Dance At Brady School

There will be a St. Patrick's Day Dance in Brady School on March 17th Admission, Gents 75c, Ladies 25c. Ladies please bring Baskets. Everybody come and have a good time. This will be the first dance in Brady school since it was moved. It is now just two miles south of where it used to stand.

Killarney School

Killarney School Report for February Enrollment 28 School was open 20 days Aggregate Attendance 475 Average Attendance 23.75 Percentage 84.83 per cent

Those making perfect attendance: Margaret Rider, Alwin Cyr, Leonard Rider, Nellie Rider, Laura Cyr. *Jeanne Rouillard, *Hare Rouillard, John Semple, Nelie Semple, *Rea Rouillard

Those marked * had nolate marks

OLIVE M. FOLKINS, Teacher.

He gives twice who gives in a trice

Wedding Bells

ANDERSON—GODIN

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the Sacred Heart Church, Chauvin, at 10.30 a.m., Monday February 27th. This being the occasion of the marriage of Miss Alma A. Godin to Mr F. W. Anderson, of Camrose.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father A. Huet. The bride was attired in a navy blue tricotine suit opening over a henna Spanish lace waist, with hat and veil to match. She carried a bouquet of white roses and maiden hair fern tied with white tulle ribbon, and wore a mink neck-piece. She was supported by her sister, Mrs A. H. Irving, of Ribstone, who wore a plum taffeta dress and hat to match, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The bridegroom being supported by Mr Peter Godin, who acted as best man.

After the ceremony the party journeyed to Ribstone, where the wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs A. H. Irving. The table was decorated with pink carnations and a sumptuous meal enjoyed by all present.

The happy couple left on the west-bound flyer for the coast, where they will spend their honeymoon. On their return they will take up their residence in Camrose.

The Chronicle is happy to express the good wishes of the community to Mr and Mrs F. W. Anderson. Mr Anderson was for some time a manager of the Chauvin branch of the Merchant's Bank, and was very popular during his residence in our midst. The bride was also a member of the Merchant's Bank staff, and is a daughter of one of the real old-timers of the district.

AIRLIE U.F.A.

A meeting of Airlie U.F.A. was held in the Schoolhouse Wednesday, March 1st. The meeting was called to order by Pres. W. Montgomery.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted on motion C. Mathison—P. Manson.

A letter was read from Mr. K. W. Coe, Secretary of Fram Grain Growers Association, Sask. offering to come and address our meeting. Moved J. Mundy—C. R. Mathison that we accept Mr. Coe's offer, and that Secretary write him to come to meeting March 15th. Carried.

Moved P. Manson—C. R. Mathison that meeting adjourn. to meet March 15th. Carried.

The meeting was followed by a social evening, An impromptu program of songs, music and dancing was given, Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Mr G. M. Cormie, Dominion Poultry Representative will lecture on Poultry in the Airlie Schoolhouse on March 22nd at 8 o'clock, and he will also visit those who wish to have their flocks culled.

The many friends of Mrs. W. J. Harris are glad to see her back from Edmonton hospital much improved in health.

C. D. Cargill is on the sick list.

Editorial

FREIGHT RATES

The first difficulty in the matter of freight rates occurred so long ago that history fails to give a record of the matter. Throughout the centuries that have passed since that time the question has been settled over and over again; and by the same token we may add that as long as man will continue his activities we may expect freight rate problems to solve.

But for the present we have only to regard such phases as concern us in the most direct manner, and at this present time. Freight rates have become a most important factor in the every day life and business of our community. For it is to be remem-

bered that every one of our products have to be freighted out in order to become marketable. And every commodity we have, or wish to have, has to be freighted in. The cost of the goods we sell, and of the goods we buy, is determined in part by the cost of freight.

RATES ARE BIG TAX

During the years immediately before us we are faced with the necessity of reducing our cost of production. Our best efforts in this direction by themselves, will not be sufficient to lower that cost to the extent that our agricultural industry can be made profitable. Therefore we must look to the other more immediate factors, and if possible so adjust them that our conditions of living may be improved.

Freight rates are among these factors and on survey we find that to-day it costs us an average extra amount of \$92 per car of grain to haul it to the market than it cost in 1917. Expressed in other words it cost nearly an hundred bushels of wheat extra to haul that car to-day.

Prior to 1917 there was a fixed basis for freight rates in western Canada under the provisions of Crows Nest agreement. This agreement had been reached only after a long struggle, and proved workable and fairly satisfactory to shippers; and at the same time profitable to the railways. War time conditions necessitated a number of changes to which we gave our consent without regard to our own interests, and a railroad commission was formed. This commission negated the Crows Nest agreement, and exercising its full autocratic power: unhindered by parliamentary control it accomplished its purpose, but in doing so has left a number of peace problems to face. This commission will come to the end of its existence this summer and its autocratic powers terminate.

CROWS NEST AGREEMENT

It is a matter of nothing less than absolute necessity to the farmers of this district, as in all of western Canada, to obtain a reduction in freight costs in order to get any profit from their year's work. No better method of obtaining this reduction has yet been proposed than that suggested by the Hon. C. Duining in the Saskatchewan legislature, viz, a return to the conditions set forth in the Crows Nest agreement.

(Referr. to article on page 7)

Chauvin W. I. Notes

The Chauvin Women's Institute held their annual meeting on Wednesday afternoon February 22nd.

The election of officers was held, and was followed by a musical program, given by Mrs. A. E. Keith, Mrs. R. H. Mann and Mrs. L. E. Roy, which was greatly enjoyed.

The officers for the coming year are:—

Mrs. L. E. Roy—President; Mrs. T. Armour—Vice-President; Mrs. H. N. Freeman—Secretary-Treasurer.

It was decided that the work for the coming year be purely social in character. Each meeting to be well advertised so that women from country and town can meet for a social hour on the common ground of the Women's Institute, where all topics interesting to women can be discussed.

Following is the treasurer's report for the year 1921.

Balance on hand	29.96
Membership Fees	6.00
Cash Donations	55.00
Government Grant	10.00
Tea Money	6.40
Receipts from Lunches	
Entertainments etc.	315.20
Sale of Cupboard to I.O.O.F.	10.00
Interest	.20
Costumes bought by children	3.80
Pin	.35
Return on check	.30
Total	437.21

OUR LITTLE ADS DO BIG WORK

Hardware

Axes, Black Prince or Hudson Bay	1.75
Halters, Extra Large	1.75
Sunlight Wringers	6.00
High Speed Washer	20.00
50 Assorted Carriage Bolts	.90
Galvanized Boilers	1.60
Dairy Pails, Heavy	.90
Saddles,	from \$20.00 to 85.00
Multiple Batteries (4 in a row)	2.50
Axe Handles	.35c and .50
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J. A. Montjoy
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Red Cross	40.00
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Gifts to Babies	6.00
Agricultural Society	34.40
Constituency Fund	15.00
Delegates Expenses	46.55
Federation Fund	5.15
Expenses for Lunches	
Entertainments etc.	115.70
Music for Orchestra	2.83
Stamps and Stationery	2.10
Basketry	1.50
Prizes—Garden Contest	15.00
Special prize at Fair	5.00
Printing	7.50
Balance on Hand	21.28

Total 437.21

REST ROOM ACCOUNT RECEIPTS

For the Year 1920 & 1921

Mrs. Chas. Kirby	15.00
Mr. L. E. Roy	4.00
Mr. Tony Cote	5.00
Mr. Colombe	2.00
Mr. T. Keatley	4.40
Mr. Geo. Bell	3.00
Mr. Colombe	2.00
Mr. J. Murray	4.00
Mr. J. Moir	3.00
Mr. E. B. Lang	5.00
Mrs. Saul	2.00
Mrs. Cayford	10.00
Mrs. Armour	5.00
Village	25.00
Total	89.40

EXPENDITURES

J. A. Montjoy, Merchandise	10.00
L. E. Roy Merchandise	3.25
Mrs. Julien, scrubbing	1.00
Coal	30.80
Rent	112.00
Draying	4.80
Rug	5.00
Sign	3.00
Total	169.95
Donations	89.40
Balance paid by Institute	80.55

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Notes From North East

Your article regarding the capacity of Lars Swanström's box started an argument in the district, however to prove the matter, on February 20th this box held 240 bushels and 10 lbs of Oats, according to the official slip of the elevator company.

Two trips a day to Artland, Axel, is pretty good work, but aren't you tired?

The last few days feel like spring, but we shall have to wait awhile yet.

The announcement of a dance at Brady School on March 17th looks like an annual event. This will be the third in succession. Come early, stay late, and make the "17th of Ould Oireland" a day (or night) to be remembered.

The telephone maintenance tax has

been assessed for the second 3 months of the year at \$7.00. It is hoped however that it will be possible to reduce this from \$7 to \$6 for the remainder of the year. The debenture tax was also assessed at \$14.80 per quarter section, where there is no take off, and \$19.00 where a phone is installed.

The people north are watching anxiously for the news that the railroad is coming through this year. "Nil desperandum"?

We regret to report an unfortunate accident occurred to Mr. P. N. Powers a few days ago. While rounding up some horses he received a nasty kick on the knee which necessitated his lying up for a few days.

We are glad to welcome the new teacher at Fram School (Mrs. Powers). One hears good reports from the commencement of the term.

Local Notes Of Interest

Among the signs of springs we note a growing enthusiasm in the study of the seed catalogues; and a determination to have SUCH a garden this year.

The Greenmeadows U. F. A. annual dance will be given in the school on Wednesday, March 29th. Every effort will be made to make this gathering a big success, and arrangements have been made for the Chauvin Orchestra to be in attendance.

Mrs W. J. Harris returned from the hospital at Edmonton on Saturday, but is still feeling weak after the operation she underwent. We are glad to see her back, and trust she will derive permanent benefit from the treatment.

Mr and Mrs William Hare were visitors to Chauvin during the past few days. They came up for the purpose of attending the funeral of Chester Bull.

Messrs Stewart, Hawthorn, Quam and MacKenzie, of Chauvin made up a scratch team for Chauvin and played Wainwright, Friday evening. They had a good game, but the score went against them.

Mr Fuller, the school inspector, whilst on his official visit to the local schools, had a friendly curling match between the Schools and the business men. The score favored the business men to the extent of 8-6.

Mr and Mrs W. F. Sutherland and child, arrived in Chauvin, from Forestburg, Alta., March 1st. Mr Sutherland is the new manager of the local bank.

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The Chauvin Pharmacy

We are in receipt of a notice from our old friend Rev. William Mitchellson stating that he expects to resume his work in the Ribstone field on Sunday March 19th, when he will preach at Greenglade, Sulphur Springs and LaPearl. On Sunday March 26 he will preach at Bloomington Valley Prospect Valley and at Ribstone.

The Red Cross headquarters for the Province of Alberta acknowledge receipt of the sum of ten dollars from the Chauvin Womens Institute for the clothing relief fund.

The provincial Headquarters of the Red Cross has received an urgent appeal for girls' shoes, sizes 9 and 2. underwear for girls aged 7 and 11 years and sweaters, stockings and materials for school dresses for the same children. They are also asked for mens' shirts and overshoes.

Formaline and Gopher Poison will now soon again be the order of the day. We have both already in stock and serve you. Buy now so you will not need to make a special trip when required.

The Chauvin Pharmacy

We are hearing some enquiries as to when the Old-Timers dance that has been talked about will be held.

The members of the Roros U.F.A. held an oyster supper last week. The visitors report having had an excellent time.

A Dance will be held in Prosperity School on March 17th. Proceeds are to be devoted to the stable fund.

A friendly curling match was played at Ribstone, Friday evening. A Chauvin rink, composed as follows: A. E. Keith (skip), D. W. Parsons, J. Sharpe, and C. G. Forryan; were met by M. J. Nicholson (skip), E. Dell, J. Carpenter and Leslie Hurst, who did battle in the cause of Ribstone. The Chauvin boys got away at the first end, Ribstone, however, steadily improved their game and at the twelfth end the score stood 12 even

and a thirteenth end had to be played. Tris added 2 to Ribstones score, giving the home team the game. Score being Ribstone 14—Chauvin 12

Mrs. A. Burke was taken to Edmonton last Friday, suffering from appendicitis and gangrene. Reports tell us that Mrs. Burke has been successfully operated upon and is making good progress toward recovery. Mrs. Herbert accompanied the patient to Edmonton.

After spending over three weeks in hospital at Edmonton, Mrs. W. J. Harris, returned on Friday last almost recovered.

International Stock Food in pails and smaller packages at Toronto prices. This is the time of year to tone your horses up for spring work. Try a package.

The Chauvin Pharmacy

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J. A. CODE

IMPLEMENT AGENT. CHAUVIN

AUCTION SALE Chauvin, March 25th

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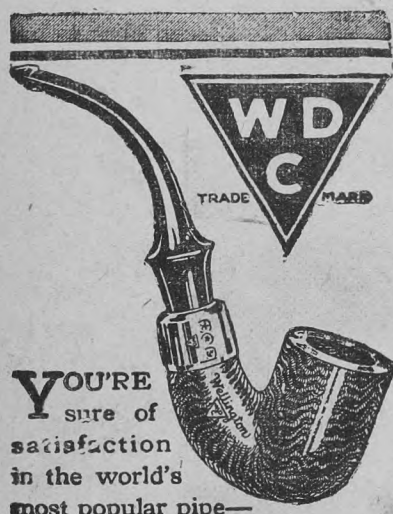
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FIRST SOWING OF VEGETABLES

The date when sowing should commence can only be determined by the weather conditions, and the state of the land, which should be sufficiently warm, and moist enough to germinate seeds. Given favorable weather conditions the following suggestions might be carried out by the end of April or at latest the middle of May.

Beets.—Crosby's Egyptian, Eclipse Sow 1 inch deep in rows 18 inches apart. 2 oz of seed to 100 feet, matures in 60 to 70 days. Thin out to from 3 to 6 inches apart. Soak the seeds 12 hours before sowing. Sow thickly as the germination of early sown beets is generally poor. Use when young and tender as the root becomes hard and woody before fall, storing. The tops may be used for greens.

Cabbage.—Early Jersey Wakefield and Glory of Enkhuizen. Sow in heat early in March or April for planting in May. Set plants in rows 1½ feet apart and 3 feet between the rows. About 70 plants to 100 feet, matures in about 90 days. They require a deep rich, well worked soil. Plant out towards evening and water thoroughly. Shade two or three days until the plants are established. Protect from cutworm by placing discs of tarred paper around the stem of each plant. Cut out discs 3 inches in diameter. Make a cut from the edge to the centre and make a hole the thickness of the stem. Slip onto the plant and place it close to the ground.

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Lettuce.—Grand Rapids, Curled Simpson. Sow seeds ½ an inch deep in rows 18 inches apart and keep thinning for use as the plants increase in size. Matures in about 45 days. As rapid growth is essential to success. Have the ground thoroughly worked, well manured and in good tilth before sowing. For a succession sow at intervals of 2 weeks.

Leek.—Broad Flag. As soon as the frost is out of the ground sow 1 inch deep in finely pulverized bed of light rich soil. Thin out to 3 inches apart. When the plants have made about 6 inches of growth transplant to a deep black loam, in rows 15 inches deep and 6 inches apart in the row. To blanch draw the earth up to the plant as they make growth.

Onion Seed.—Extra Early Red. Sow ½ inch deep in rows 12 inches apart. Thin out plants when they are about 2 inches high from 2 to 3 inches apart. 1 oz. seed to 100 feet of row. Matures in about 90 days and should be sown as early as possible. It will succeed in either a light sandy loam, clay loam or black muck, well drained and containing a liberal supply of plant food in the form of well rotted barnyard manure. The ground should be firm and compact with only an inch or two of fine well pulverized soil on the top for a seed bed.

Dutch Sets.—Yellow Dutch. Plant 2 inches deep, 3 inches apart and 15 inches between the rows. About 2 quarts to 100 feet of row. Best for early onions.

Parsley.—Moss Curled. Triple Curled. Sow in rows ½ an inch deep and 12 inches between the rows in rich mellow soil. Before sowing soak the seeds overnight in lukewarm water to hasten germination.

Peas.—Western Beauty, Reliance Sow early in spring in rows 2½ feet apart dropping seeds 1 inch apart and 2 inches deep, in a mellow rich soil. The common practice is to soak the seeds in water before sowing. A better method is, when the ground is dry to draw the seed furrow 2 inches deep and fill with water. After it has soaked in sow the seed and cover. For a constant supply of green peas sow at intervals of 2 weeks.

Radish.—Early Scarlet Turnip Rooted. French Breakfast. Sow the seed ½ an inch deep. Thin to 1 inch and 12 inches between the rows. 1 oz. seed to 100 feet. As rapid and continuous growth is necessary for the production of juicy roots the soil must be mellow and contain a large amount of humus and moisture. Make

successive sowings weekly.

Spinach.—Victoria, Long Standing. Sow early 1 inch deep in rows 15 inches apart. Thin plants to 6 inches apart. 1 oz seed to 100 feet of row. May be sown in the fall for spring use if protected with a mulch of manure or leaves.

Turnips.—Early Milan, Purple Top Golden Ball. Sow ½ inch deep rows 18 inches apart. Thin out plants to 6 inches apart. 1 oz. seed 100 feet of row. For succession sow at intervals of 2 weeks until the middle of July. Sow thinly, and use when small. In every instance, as soon as can be seen, commence light cultivation, to

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Railroad Labor vs Farm Labor

AN AMERICAN VIEWPOINT
(Monthly Review of National City Bank, New York).

The railroad labor situation would be ludicrous if it were not so serious. The rates fixed by the Labor Board for common labor are so far above those prevailing outside of the railroad service that the companies are finding it practicable to contract out much of their work and save 20 to 30 per cent., which of course is after the contractors make a profit. The Erie has contracted for track maintenance over its entire line. The St. Louis & San Francisco substituted heavier rails over much of its line last year; if it had had the work done by its own employees it calculates


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that the cost of the labor would have been \$550 per mile, but it was done by contract at \$350 per mile. Pumps on the Frisco road are operated by electricity, and require only a switch be thrown to start or stop, and an occasional oiling of the parts. Under the union-made rules that have been in force this meant three shifts on a pump, but the company has been able to contract for the service at a saving of about 65 per cent.

It would seem that the public but it would seem to be time that the public waked up to the fact that the cost of operating the railroads is not wholly a matter between the companies and the employees but of general concern. Occasionally a man who has this opinion makes himself heard. We have a letter from W. H. Harris, a grower of pecans and peaches at Fort Valley, Georgia; he sets out his views in effective language as follows:—

'It seems the unanimous opinion of the farmers, the actual farmers who produce crops, that only one thing is needed—to be permitted to sell a crop for more than it costs to make it and haul it to market.

Lending a farmer money to make a crop which he doesn't get cost does not benefit him. It merely postpones bankruptcy. There can be no recovery until the crops sell at a profit.

'There can be no profit so long as a law made agency takes the major part of the farmer's crop representing his year's labor, and turns it over to the organized workers for their few days' work hauling it to the market. That is the crux of the situation.

'The farmer wants no special Reserve Board, no preferred jobs, he merely wants the special legislation favoring other workers removed, in other words, that every tub stand on its own bottom, and let each man earn what he can.

'Nothing will save the farming industry but a deep cut into the freight rates. We are all merely producing tonnage for the railroads, who merely collect from the unorganized workers, and turn it over to the organized workers. The latter punish when the politicians fail to do their bidding; we farmers don't.

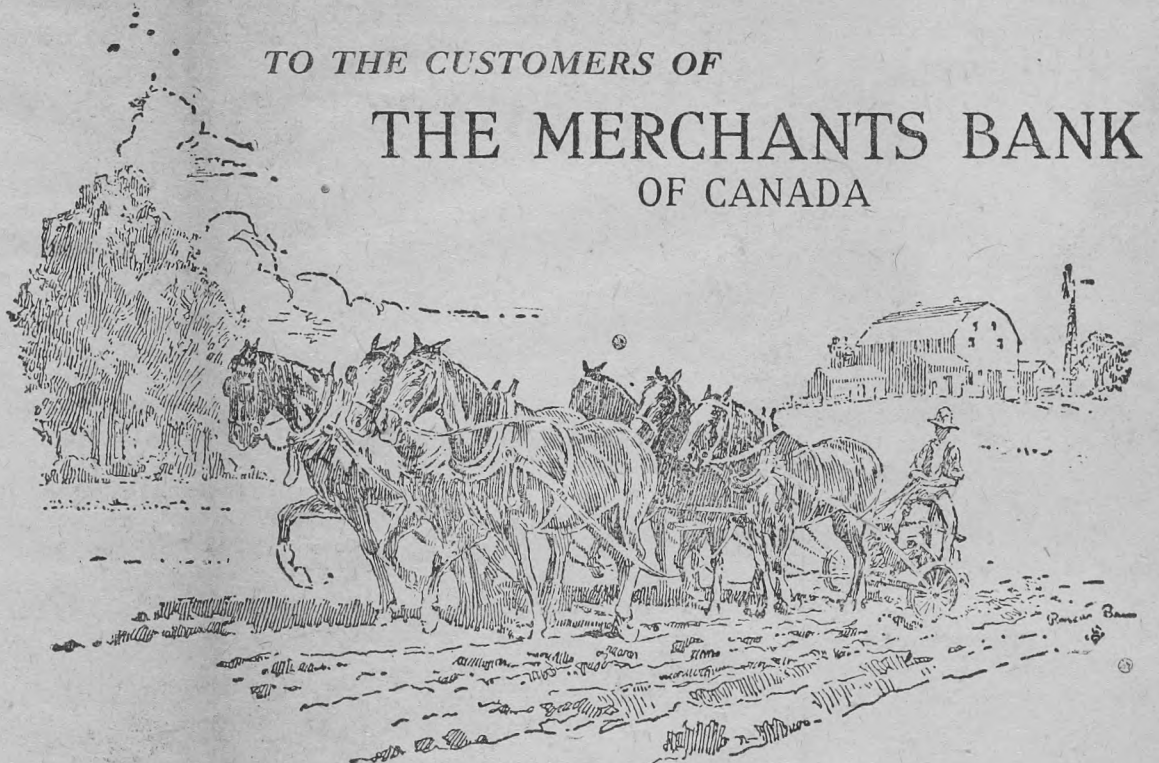
When a Chicago labor board fixes a railroad man's pay at a higher price than he can earn in other open pursuits, it is no largess of the labor board. It is a purely arithmetical proposition. The excess given to the railroad workers is taken from what the farm workers earn.

'The impracticable humanitarian will say that the higher pay given the railroad laborer will put up to a 'living wage' the pay of the laborer in other pursuits, but the reverse is true, for the more paid to the railroad labor, the less of the price there is left to pay the other labor.

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fair share, or more than its share.

'Take Georgia's approximately ten thousand cars of peaches. In even figures, of the sale of this fruit this year, selling got 8 per cent, transportation got 62 per cent, and production got 30 per cent, out of which to pay all the labor that grew and picked the fruit, as well as for a few such items as crates, fertilizers, spray material, wagons, mules, etc.

The labor alone that hauled a car of peaches for four or five days got more than all the labor that plowed, pruned, harrowed, sprayed, picked and packed the crop, nearly a year's work.'

Georgia's watermelon shipments were almost as bad.

The sorriest negro porter that rides a team for a few hours a day through our town, gets far more for his year's work than does the most intelligent, energetic and efficient farmer for his year's work, averaging twice as many hours a day. There isn't a farmer in the country who has gotten this year for his work as much as, not the best, but the sorriest such porter.

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in Washington last week contained the following paragraph: "Since Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, offered a resolution in the Committee on Agriculture and Price Relations, to declare that men, engaged in the agricultural field were entitled to a large reward for the services they give so-

ciety." In view of this manifestation of his interests in the farmers' deserts, we venture to refer Mr Harris' letter to Mr. Gompers for consideration and reply.

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Local Notes Of Interest

After a vigorous spell of continued cold throughout the month of February, March opened with a warm spell. A rapid falling off in the condition of both horses and cattle was to be observed, with some deaths in the north district. Some of the horses have had to be brought in and feed because they were weakening.

It has cost about twice the amount of feed to winter this year, as compared with last winter, and a few are getting short of feed. Straw has been purchased during the past week at \$2 per load.

Explaining the embargo which the railways placed yesterday on shipments of grain west from Calgary and Edmonton, J. R. Cameron, assistant general manager of the C.N.R. stated last night that the step was compulsory.

"We have about 1600 cars on our hands west of Edmonton already, and as the elevators can handle only 15 cars a day, it is or no use bringing along any more," he said. "We believe that every effort is being made to get ships to move the grain but we have no control over that phase of the situation."

The annual meeting of the Westminster Church was held on Sunday last at the close of the evening service.

The Secretary read the financial statement for the year. The financial statement from the Sunday School was read. The Ladies Auxiliary for the Christmas Tree and concert which was arranged and given by them.

The Board of Managers were re-elected with the exception of Mr. C. G. Forryan who declined to serve for another year. Mr. Gifford was elected to as member of the Board in the place of Mr. Forryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Hair from Star City, Sask. with their two small children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reinhart.

The Westminster Ladies Auxiliary will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, March 9th, at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. G. Forryan.

Mr. S. H. Nelson of Oxville, returned with his two small boys from Minnesota, Sunday last. Mr. Nelson has been spending the winter in Minnesota, where he has been undergoing medical treatment from which he has derived great benefit.

Mr. A. S. Campbell returned from London last week.

Mrs. G. McNutt, who had the misfortune to fall down the cellar stairs in her home last week, sustaining a bad cut on the forehead and several bruises, besides being badly shaken, is now improving, and we hope soon to see her around again.

Mrs. Jansen of Minneapolis is now visiting her brother Mr. J. Rinde.

The annual meeting of the Killarney church will be held on Sunday, March 19th after the service. All are asked to attend.

Mr. Smalley, of Edgerton paid a visit to Chauvin Friday.

Dr. Folkins and his son Donald arrived from N.B. Saturday last.

Mr and Mrs A. Dobson have returned from their trip to England.

The Airlie school report will appear next week.

The 'C' Squadron of the 19th Alberta Dragoons are holding a Whist Drive and Dance in the I.O.O.F. hall on St. Patrick's Day, March 17th. Everybody come and have a good time. Gents \$1.00, Ladies please.

Dr. Ritner, Dentist, of Luseland, is at the hotel for three days this week: Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday. Dr. Ritner comes to us well recommended, and we sincerely hope he continues his visits regularly. We venture to think that he will find an ample source of business if he supplies the dental needs of Edgerton, Chauvin and Manitou Lake districts.

Ribstone Council Council Meeting

The Ribstone council met at Ribstone Monday afternoon. The full report of which will appear in our next issue, as they are too lengthy for insertion this week. Below we publish a brief summary of the more important business. A. Ferguson elected reeve. Sewell deputy reeve for six months. Gopher poison left to the U.F.A.s to handle. Petition against granting \$500 grant to Agricultural Society being granted without vote being taken by ratepayers; petition filed. Secretary ordered to apply for a provincial grant of \$2000 for expenditure on road work.

Chauvin School Trustees Meeting

The regular meeting of the Chauvin school trustees was held in the school house at 7.30 p.m., March 6. All the members were present. Dr. Folkins in the chair. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved, on motion of Mr. Foxwell.

Letter was read from Mr. Laws and it was decided that the school hours

would be 9 till 12 a.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

Mr. Foxwell was appointed a committee to attend to the fixing of the privacys, and to see Mr. Laws re-closing the school Monday mornings.

Letter was read from Westminster Church Board and Mr. Foxwell moved Mrs. Saul seconded that Manse property be exempt from taxation, so long as same is used by the Clergy. Carried.

Account of G. W. Allan & Co for \$13.50 was passed for payment on being O.K. by the janitor.

Court of Revision

Mrs. L. P. Montjoy, house reduced to \$2500, car to \$500; Federal Grain Co reduced to \$9000; E. A. Pitman, N.W. qtr reduced \$2 per acre; O. Hawthron assessment stands; H. N. Freeman car reduced to \$700; Western Lumber stock reduced \$1000 and \$150 added to buildings; J. Scheller assessment stands; L. Borregard reduced \$12 per acre for farm lands, and town property stands; Mr. Sharpe assessment stands; United Grain Growers reduced \$1000; J. C. Reinhart block 10 stands, block 6 building reduced \$100. Chairman then declared the meeting adjourned.

Hockey Match

The far famed fast and furious Wainwright puck chasers went down to defeat Monday afternoon by sensational come-back of the local squad 5 to 3.

The game was fast and both teams played a stellar and clean game, the only man going to the cooler being Allard and this only for minor penalties.

Every man on both teams exerted himself to the utmost of his ability but of course as usual there has to be the shining lights on any team and here we rave to take our hats off to Bunker, McKay and Hodgeins of Wainwright, and Art Pierce, Allard, Stewart and Rodden for the locals.

Art Pierce was travelling like an old war horse, and tallied two of Chauvin's goals and with Stewart showing his best form of the season he notched another and Rodden playing his same old game which usually mean he gets a few counters and that is just what he did today, the last one on a pass from Gordon Pierce and the other on a rebound from Art Pierce.

Reg. Pierce was in the flags for the locals and he put up a good brand of hockey throughout the game, the Wainwright boys only getting the disc past him three times in the sixty minutes play.

Haney of Wainwright handled the game and he could not have been better, calling close off-sides and keeping a keen eye on the players.

Wainwright	Lineup	Chauvin
Frazzle	Goal	R. Pierce
Brunker	Defense	Stewart
McKay	Defense	A. Pierce
Hodgeins	Forward	Allard
Barker	Forward	Rodden
Scott	Forward	G. Pierce
Kirk	Forward	Leach
Tory	Forward	Miller
Williams	Forward	Sigurdson

Market Prices

SECURITY ELEVATOR, CHAUVIN

Tuesday, March 7th 1922

Wheat

No. 1. Northern	1.13
No. 2. Northern	1.09
No. 3. Northern	1.03

Oats

No. 2. C.W.	.32
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Barley

No. 3. C.W.	.41
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Rye

No. 2. C.W.	.78
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Flax

No. 1. N.W.	2.05
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QUARTER SECTION LAND FOR SALE: N.W. 12-46-1 w4th, 30 acres summerfallow, 60 acres cultivated, the balance good arable land, adjoining Ridgeclough Post Office and store, Cheap for cash, or will be sold for small cash payment and good

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FOR SALE: CLEANED RED BOBS Seed Wheat \$1.40 per bushel. This was grown on breaking, 2nd generation from seed direct from Dr. Seger Wheeler. Wm Rodden, Chauvin.

WANTED: MAN FOR GENERAL Farm Work, steady employment and good wages, if suitable. Apply to Wm Rodden, Chauvin.

FOR SALE: BRONZE HEN TURkeys \$3.50 each or \$6.00 per pair: Gobblers \$5.00 each. Mrs. Fred Holbrook, Chauvin.

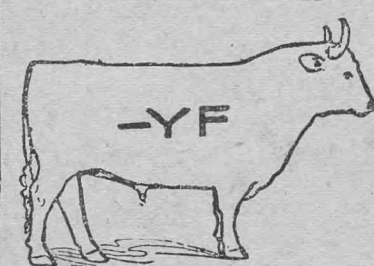
STRAYED TO MY PREMISES: ONE Red yearling steer, one ear split. No brand. Apply E. Callin, Chauvin.

FOR SALE: RUBY SEED WHEAT \$1.50 per bushel, cleaned. H. Young Chauvin, Alta.

FOR RENT: N.E. 1/4 18-45-27-w3rd Apply P.N. Powers, Artland Sask. R. R. 1.

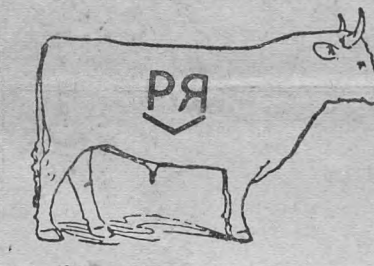
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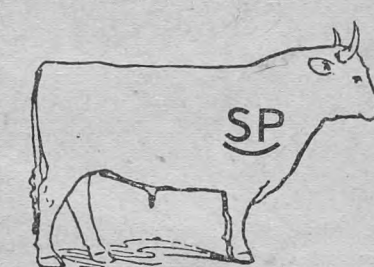
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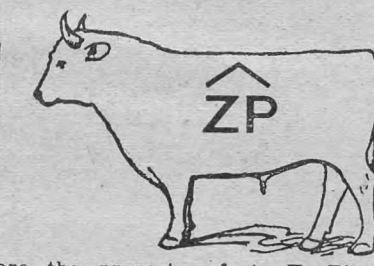
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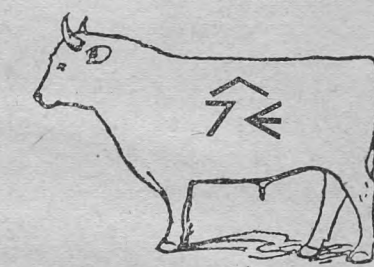
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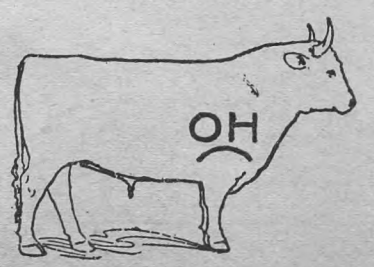
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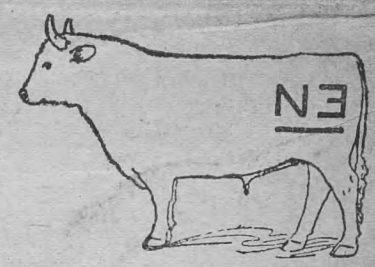
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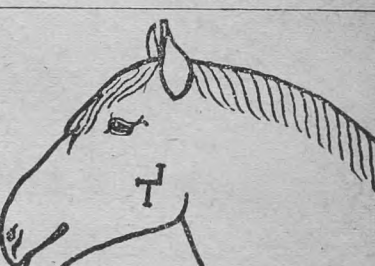


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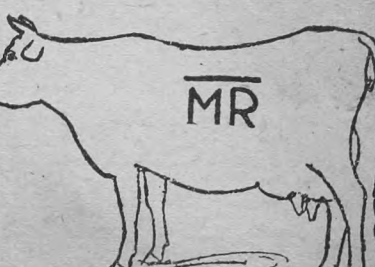


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" HAY (overnight) 2 feeds	1.00
" STALL25
" STALL (overnight)	.75
" OATS	extra .20
SINGLE OATS extra	.1
" HAY25
" STALL	15

DANCE

TEAM HAY50
SINGLE HAY25
TEAM STALL35
SINGLE STALL20

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